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Fire Application of:

Newbold, et al.

Serial No. 10/066,310

Filed: February 1, 2002

For: FIRE ASSEMBLY FOR RECESSED
ELECTRICAL FIXTURES

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The three Assignments granting Assignee, Hubbell Incorporated, the entire interest of the above-identified application are attached. The Assignments granting the entire interest of the above-identified application to Hubbell from Progress Lighting, Inc. were recorded in the USPTO on April 9, 2003 at Reel/Frame 013933/0777. The Assignment granting Progress Lighting, Inc. the entire interest of the above-identified application from the named inventors was filed with the USPTO on September 10, 2003.

Respectfully submitted,

By: Richard W. Davies
Name: Richard W. Davies
Title: Vice President
Hubbell Incorporated

Dated: September 29, 2003

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Progress Lighting, Inc.Additional name(s) of conveying party(ies) attached? ☐ Yes ☒ No

3. Nature of conveyance:

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2. Name and address of receiving party(ies)

Name: **Hubbell Incorporated**

Internal Address:

Street Address: **584 Derby Milford Road**City: **Orange** State: **CT** ZIP: **06477-4024**Additional name(s) & address(es) attached? ☐ Yes ☒ No

4. Application number(s) or patent number(s):

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A. Patent Application No.(s)

10/066,310

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6,357,891Additional Application numbers attached? ☐ Yes ☒ No

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ASSIGNMENT

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WHEREAS, Progress Lighting, Inc., a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Delaware United States of America and having a place of business at 101 Corporate Drive, Suite L in Spartanburg, SC 29316 (hereinafter "Assignor") is the owner of all right, title, and interest in and all rights to collect for any past or future damages for infringement of US Patent No. 6,357,891 and its continuation-in-part US Patent Application Serial No. 10/066,310, both of which are entitled "**FIRE ASSEMBLY FOR RECESSED ELECTRICAL FIXTURES**" by reason of original assignments from the inventors thereof dated 25 February 2000 recorded in the US Patent and Trademark Office on 8 March 2000 at Reel/Frame 010630/0263 and by corrective assignments from the inventors dated 8 April 2003 made retroactive back to 25 February 2000 and filed for recordation with the US Patent and Trademark Office on 8 April 2003;

WHEREAS, Assignor is desirous of selling and having sold the entire right, title and interest in and to the aforesaid inventions and in and to any Letters Patent of the United States or any foreign country which may be granted therefore, including the right to bring suit for and to collect any and all damages for past infringement of any patent granted on the invention(s) thereof; and

WHEREAS, Hubbell Incorporated, a corporation of the State of Connecticut, having a place of business at 584 Derby Milford Road, Orange, CT 06477-4024, in the County of New Haven (hereinafter "Assignee"), is interested in acquiring all rights in and to said invention that are possessed by Assignor,

BE IT KNOWN that for good and valuable consideration paid by said ASSIGNEE, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, Assignor hereby assigns and transfers to Assignee and its successors, assigns and legal representatives, all of its rights in and to said invention and specifically including all right, title, and interest in and to the aforesaid invention for all countries, in and to any and all improvements which are disclosed and claimed, and as possessed by the undersigned, any and all improvements which are disclosed but not claimed in and to said invention of said patent and said application and all divisional, continuing, continuations in part, substitute, renewal, reissue and all other applications for Letters Patent which have been or shall be filed on any of said improvements disclosed in said application; and in and to all original reissued patents which have been or shall be issued on said improvements including all rights to sue for and to collect damages for any past infringement,

ASSIGNOR HEREBY authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents & Trademarks to issue to said Assignee, the corporation above named, its successors, assigns and legal representatives, in accordance with this assignment, any and all United States Letters Patent on said improvements, or any of them, disclosed in said application;

ASSIGNOR HERBY FURTHER agrees that said Assignee may apply for and receive foreign Letters Patent for said improvements, or any of them; and may claim, in applications for said foreign Letters Patent, the priority of the aforesaid United States application under the provisions of the International Convention; and that, when requested, without charge to but at the expense of said Assignee, its successors, assigns, and legal representatives, to carry out in good faith the intent and purpose of this assignment, the undersigned will, for the United States and all foreign countries, execute all divisional, continuing, continuation in part, substitute, renewal, reissue, and all other patent applications on any and all said improvements; execute all rightful oaths, assignments, powers of attorney and other papers; communicate to said Assignee its successors, assigns and representatives, all facts known to the undersigned relating to said improvements and the history thereof; testify in all legal proceedings; and generally do everything possible which said Assignee, its successors, assigns or representatives shall consider desirable for aiding in securing, maintaining and enforcing proper patent protection for said improvements and for vesting title to said improvements and all applications for patents and all patents on said improvements, in said Assignee, its successors, assigns and legal representatives; and

ASSIGNOR ALSO WARRANTS to said Assignee, its successors, assigns and legal representatives that no assignment, grant, mortgage, license or other agreement affecting the rights and property herein conveyed has been made to others by the undersigned, and that full right to convey the same as herein expressed is possessed by the undersigned.

On Behalf of Progress Lighting, Inc.

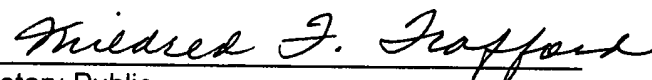

James E. Decker
Vice President, Brand Management

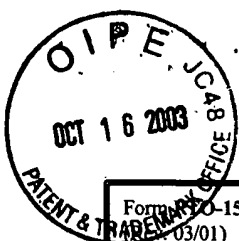
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Before me this 8th day of April, 2003, personally appeared James E. Decker to me personally known to be the person who is described in and who executed the above instrument, and he acknowledged to me that he executed the same of his own free will for the purposes therein set forth.

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Thildred J. Trapp
Notary Public



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Ron Newbold
Thomas T. White

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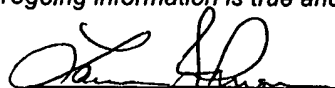
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Lance G. Johnson

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10 September 2003

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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, WE, Ron Newbold, a citizen of the U.S. and residing at 300 Shoally Ridge Drive, Bolling Springs, SC 29316, and Thomas T. White, a citizen of the U.S. and residing at 401 Oaks Court, Peachtree City, GA 30268 (hereinafter "Inventors"), have previously executed an assignment of rights dated February 25, 2000 in connection with US Patent Application Serial No. 09/520,382 entitled "FIRE ASSEMBLIES FOR RECESSED LIGHT FIXTURES", now US Patent No. 6,357,891 which was recorded at reel: 010631 and Frame: 0285 to "Progress Lighting, a corporation of the State of South Carolina" with the intent that we would transfer all of our rights to our employer of the same name having an address at 101 Corporate Drive, Suite L in Spartanburg, SC 29318;

WHEREAS, WE have also filed on 1 February 2002 a continuation-in-part application serial 10/068,310 that has been published as Published Application No. 2002/0167324 and desire that it be and have been transferred in the same manner as its parent application;

WHEREAS, WE have subsequently been informed that our employer is a corporation existing under the laws of Delaware under the name "Progress Lighting, Inc." with the same address and it is our desire to clarify and quiet title in our invention to Progress Lighting, Inc. and to convey all necessary rights as if they had been originally granted on the original assignment execution date of February 25, 2000.

WHEREAS, Progress Lighting, Inc., a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Delaware United States of America and having a place of business at 101 Corporate Drive, Suite L in Spartanburg, SC 29316 (hereinafter "Assignee") is desirous of acquiring and of having acquired the entire right, title and interest in and to the aforesaid inventions and in and to any Letters Patent of the United States or any foreign country which may be granted therefor;

NOW THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, we, the said Inventors by these presents do sell, assign, and transfer unto said Assignee, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, the full and exclusive right to the said inventions as described in the said applications, and the entire right, title and interest in and to any and all Letters Patents which may be granted therefor in the United States and its territorial possessions and in any and all foreign countries and in and to any and all divisions, reissues, continuations, continuations in part (including US Patent Application 10/068,310 which has been published as Published Application No. 2002/0167324), and extensions thereof including all rights to recover for any past or future infringement thereof as if this assignment had been originally executed on February 25, 2000;

AND WE HEREBY authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks or any other proper officer or agency of any country to issue all said Letters Patent to said Assignee;

AND WE HEREBY warrant and covenant that we have full right to convey the entire interest herein assigned and that we have not executed and will not execute any instrument or assignment in conflict herewith;

AND WE HEREBY agree to communicate to said assignee or its representatives any facts known to us respecting said invention, to execute all divisional, continuation, continuation in part, reissue and foreign applications, sign all lawful documents and make all rightful oaths relating to said invention, and to testify in any judicial or administrative proceeding and generally do everything possible to aid the said assignee to obtain and enforce said Letters Patent in the United States or any foreign country when requested so to do by said assignee.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hand and seal.

Date

Inventor:

Ron Newbold

Date

4/8/03

Inventor

Thomas T. White

STATE OF Georgia
COUNTY OF Coweta

On this 8th day of April, 2003, before me a Notary Public in and for the County and State aforesaid, personally appeared Thomas T. White, to me known and known to me to be the persons of those names, who signed and sealed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged the same to be their free act and deed.

(SEAL)

Notary Public

My Commission Expires: Notary Public, Coweta County, Georgia
My Commission Expires June 28, 2003

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Date

4/8/03

Inventor:

Ron Newbold
Ron Newbold

Date

Inventor:

Thomas T. White

STATE OF

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On this _____ day of _____, 2003, before me a Notary Public in and for the County and State aforesaid, personally appeared _____ to me known and known to me to be the persons of those names, who signed and sealed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged the same to be their free act and deed.

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Deain N. Lamb
Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

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